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**Sent:** 8/1/2013 2:11:39 PM  
**To:** Hough, Palmer [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=51cd0b0d81ac416fa265944d6e6575ce-PHough]; Parkin, Richard [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=4958196c666e4228adc4b103d07f4166-Parkin, Richard]  
**Subject:** RE: Bristol Bay -- Meeting Request

Thanks – let us know how it goes. We are planning on watching the hearing this morning.

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**From:** Hough, Palmer  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 31, 2013 11:59 AM  
**To:** Parkin, Richard; Eckman, Sheila  
**Subject:** FW: Bristol Bay -- Meeting Request

FYI – we are meeting with Tom Tilden and Bobby Andrew tomorrow at 8:30 AM ET before they attend the House hearing.

Let me know if you want to call in, I understand if that is too early for y'all.

-Palmer

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**From:** Kimberly Williams [<mailto:nunamtaexdir@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 31, 2013 12:47 PM  
**To:** Reynolds, Joel  
**Cc:** Hough, Palmer; Evans, David; Fertik, Rachel; Frithsen, Jeff; Kaiser, Russell; Kiekow, Taryn  
**Subject:** Re: Bristol Bay -- Meeting Request

Palmer,

I forwarded your confirmation email to Bobby and Tom. Thank you for taking the time to visit with them.

Kim

On Wed, Jul 31, 2013 at 8:33 AM, Reynolds, Joel <[jreynolds@nrdc.org](mailto:jreynolds@nrdc.org)> wrote:

Palmer -- Thank you again.

I will not be attending the meeting since I'm not in DC this week. The meeting has been requested on behalf of Kim Williams, the Executive Director of Nunamta Aulukestai, one of the regional leaders in the fight against Pebble Mine. Two of Nunamta's Board members - Curyung Tribal Council Chief Tom Tilden and native elder Bobby Andrew - will be in DC and will be attending the meeting at EPA.

We will forward to them the information about time and place.

Again, I very much appreciate your responsiveness to this request.

Best, Joel

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From: Hough, Palmer [mailto:[Hough.Palmer@epa.gov](mailto:Hough.Palmer@epa.gov)]

Sent: Wednesday, July 31, 2013 6:02 AM

To: Reynolds, Joel

Cc: Evans, David; Fertik, Rachel; Frithsen, Jeff; Kaiser, Russell; 'Kim Williams'; Kiekow, Taryn

Subject: RE: Bristol Bay -- Meeting Request

Joel:

We have you scheduled for 8:30 - 9:30 am tomorrow morning. Please come to the 1301 Constitution Ave NW entrance of the EPA West Building (please don't use any other entrances b/c they will not get you where you need to be).

The guards at the 1301 Constitution Ave NW entrance will call me to come down and sign you in when you arrive.

We look forward to seeing you.

Thanks, Palmer

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From: Reynolds, Joel [<mailto:jreynolds@nrdc.org>]  
Sent: Tuesday, July 30, 2013 8:44 PM  
To: Hough, Palmer; Stoner, Nancy; Keehner, Denise; Klasen, Matthew  
Cc: Evans, David; Fertik, Rachel; Frithsen, Jeff; Kaiser, Russell; 'Kim Williams'; Kiekow, Taryn  
Subject: RE: Bristol Bay -- Meeting Request

Palmer:

I'm told that 8:30 am to 10 am wld be better for Tom Tilden and Bobby Andrew. Thank you for convening and calendaring this meeting.

Best, Joel

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From: Hough, Palmer [<mailto:Hough.Palmer@epa.gov>]  
Sent: Tuesday, July 30, 2013 2:58 PM  
To: Stoner, Nancy; Keehner, Denise; Klasen, Matthew; Reynolds, Joel  
Cc: Evans, David; Fertik, Rachel; Frithsen, Jeff; Kaiser, Russell

Subject: RE: Bristol Bay -- Meeting Request

Joel:

Nancy asked me to follow up with you regarding this request. We would be glad to meet with these folks from Bristol Bay on Thursday morning. We can meet between 8:30-10 or 11-12:30.

Please let me know if either of these time slots works for you and your group and I will follow up with location details.

Thanks, Palmer

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From: Reynolds, Joel <[jreynolds@nrdc.org](mailto:jreynolds@nrdc.org)>  
Sent: Tuesday, July 30, 2013 4:22:48 PM  
To: Stoner, Nancy  
Cc: Kiekow, Taryn  
Subject: Bristol Bay -- Meeting Request

Dear Nancy:

I hope all is well. Many thanks again to the agency for its work on the revised Bristol Bay Watershed Assessment. NRDC submitted extensive comments, as well as over 265,000 letters of support from our members and activists.

I'm writing on behalf of the Executive Director of Nunamta Aulukestai, one of the regional leaders in the fight against Pebble Mine. Two of Nunamta's Board members - Curyung Tribal Council Chief Tom Tilden and native elder Bobby Andrew - will be in D.C. to support EPA at the House Science and Technology Oversight Subcommittee hearing this Thursday, August 1. They asked me to help set up a meeting with EPA water staff before the hearing. The purpose of the meeting would be to thank EPA for its Watershed Assessment and discuss next steps.

Would it be possible to schedule such a meeting for the morning of August 1st? Unfortunately, they are flying into DC late Wednesday night and leave early Friday morning, so their only availability is on Thursday morning.

As always, many thanks for your reply and for your help with this request.

Best regards,

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